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For: A READ/WRITE HEAD FOR A  
MAGNETIC TAPE DEVICE  
HAVING GROOVES FOR  
REDUCING TAPE FLOATING

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Fee Calculation For Claims As Filed

a) Basic Fee		\$740.00
b) Independent Claims	<u>2</u> - 3 = <u>0</u>	x \$ 84.00 = \$
c) Total Claims	<u>15</u> - 20 = <u>0</u>	x \$ 18.00 = \$
d) Fee for Multiple Claims		\$280.00 = \$
Total Filing Fee		\$740.00

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